

The Chair laid before the House the following veto message of the Governor.

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE. }
Austin, Nov. 11, 1871, }

Hon. WM. H. SINCLAIR,

Speaker of the House of Representatives :

SIR: I return to the House of Representatives, where it originated, the act entitled "An act to create the county of Tegner."

The fifth section of this act is very objectionable, and I think must have been overlooked. It gives the county authorities power to levy as much in the way of taxes as is now permitted by law, and of course in addition to the taxes already allowed. It also authorizes an unlimited issue of bonds for the purpose, with said large amount of taxes, of being used for building a court house and

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jail. These powers are too extensive, and are liable to be misused.

Very respectfully,

EDMUND J. DAVIS, Governor.

Laid over under the rules.